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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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8 RONALD LEE ALLEN,

9 Plaintiff,

10 vs.

11 CLARK COUNTY DETENTION
12 CENTER, *et al.*,

13 Defendants.

Case No. 2:10-cv-00857-RLH-GWF

ORDER

Motion to Take Deposition of
Incarcerated Person (#297)

14 This matter is before the Court on Defendants's Motion for Leave to Depose an Incarcerated
15 Individual (#297), filed on April 30, 2012.

16 Defendants move under Fed.R.Civ.P. 30 for leave of the Court to take the deposition of Ronald
17 Lee Allen, who is currently incarcerated at Northern Nevada Correctional Center in Carson City.
18 Under Fed.R.Civ.P. 30(a)(2)(B), a party "*must* obtain leave" of the Court in order to conduct the
19 deposition of a deponent confined in prison. *Id.* (emphasis added). The Court will grant Defendants
20 leave to depose Plaintiff. Defendants should arrange a time and place with the prison to conduct the
21 deposition and properly notice the deposition as required by Fed.R.Civ.P. 30(b). Accordingly,

22 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendants's Motion for Leave to Depose an Incarcerated
23 Individual (#297) is **granted**.

24 DATED this 1st of May, 2012.

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27 **GEORGE FOLEY, JR.**
28 **UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**